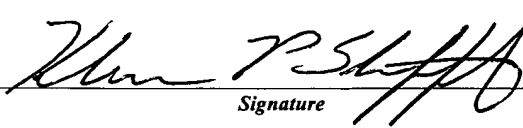



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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)					Docket No. HM-598	
In Re Application Of: Dirk Mangler et al.						
Application No. 10/509,861	Filing Date October 1, 2004	Examiner Len Tran	Customer No.	Group Art Unit 1725	Confirmation No.	
Invention: ADJUSTING OF HEAT TRANSFER IN CONTINUOUS CASTING MOLDS IN PARTICULAR IN THE REGION OF THE MENISCUS						
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated February 3, 2006 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-5.</p> <p>The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$500.00</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"><div style="width: 40%;"><p style="text-align: center;">Signature</p></div><div style="width: 50%; text-align: right;"><p>Dated: August 3, 2006</p></div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"><div style="width: 40%;"><p>Klaus P. Stoffel Reg. No. 31,668 For: Friedrich Kueffner Reg. No. 29,482 317 Madison Avenue, Suite 910 New York, New York 10017 (212) 986-3114</p></div><div style="width: 50%; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"><p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on August 3, 2006.</p><p style="text-align: center;">(Date)</p><p style="text-align: center;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</p><p style="text-align: center;">Klaus P. Stoffel</p><p style="text-align: center;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</p></div></div>						

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